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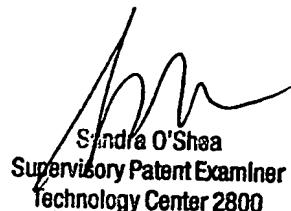
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1. The amendment filed on 27 February 2006 under 37 CFR 1.312 has been considered, and has been:

- a) entered.
- b) entered as directed to matters of form not affecting the scope of the invention.
- c) disapproved because the amendment was filed after the payment of the issue fee.
Any amendment filed after the date the issue fee is paid must be accompanied by a petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(1) and the required fee to withdraw the application from issue.
- d) disapproved. See explanation below.
- e) entered in part. See explanation below.

Claims 23-26 and 28-31 will be entered. Claims 32-42 will not be entered since they are considered to contain new subject matter that would require further consideration (applicant has added new claims containing subject matter previously found in the dependent claims only). Claim 27 will not be entered because of lack of antecedent basis issues.



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